



# United States Army

## **Brigadier General RICKEY L. RIFE**

**Deputy Commanding General (Support)  
101st Airborne Division (Air Assault)  
Fort Campbell, Kentucky 42223  
Since: June 2005**



SOURCE OF COMMISSIONED SERVICE ROTC

### MILITARY SCHOOLS ATTENDED

Field Artillery Officer Basic Course  
Infantry Officer Advanced Course  
United States Army Command and General Staff College  
School of Advanced Military Studies  
Senior Service College Fellowship - Stanford University

### EDUCATIONAL DEGREES

University of Arkansas – BS – Commercial Marketing  
Fordham University – MBA – Business Administration  
United States Army Command and General Staff College – MMAS – Advanced Military Studies

FOREIGN LANGUAGE(S) None recorded

### PROMOTIONS

### DATES OF APPOINTMENT

2LT	6 Jun 79
1LT	21 Feb 81
CPT	1 Apr 83
MAJ	1 Oct 90
LTC	1 Jul 94
COL	1 Jun 99
BG	1 Mar 05

### MAJOR DUTY ASSIGNMENTS

#### FROM    TO

#### ASSIGNMENT

Oct 80	Oct 84	Assistant Platoon Leader, later Aeroscout Platoon Leader, later Executive Officer, later Operations Officer, Air Troop, later S-3 (Operations), 11th Cavalry Air Squadron, 11th Armored Cavalry Regiment, V Corps, United States Army Europe and Seventh Army, Germany
Oct 84	May 85	Student, Infantry Officer Advanced Course, United States Army Infantry School, Fort Benning, Georgia
Jul 85	Jun 88	Assistant Professor of Military Science, 1st Reserve Officer Training Corps Region with duty at Fordham University, Bronx, New York
Oct 88	Apr 92	Commander, B Company, later Executive Officer, later S-3 (Operations), 1st Battalion, 3d Aviation, later S-3 (Operations), 2d Armored Division, Fort Hood, Texas and OPERATIONS DESERT SHIELD/STORM, Saudi Arabia, 6th Cavalry Brigade

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Aug 92	May 94	Student, United States Army Command and General Staff College, later School of Advanced Military Studies, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas
Jun 94	May 95	Aide-de-Camp to the Commanding General, United States Army Training and Doctrine Command, Fort Monroe, Virginia
May 95	May 97	Commander, 5th Battalion, 501st Aviation, 17th Aviation Brigade, later redesignated 1st Squadron, 6th Cavalry Regiment, Eighth United States Army, Korea
Jul 97	Jun 98	Student, Senior Service College Fellowship, Hoover Institute, Stanford University, Stanford, California
Jun 98	Jul 01	Deputy G-3 (Operations), V Corps, later Commander, 11th Aviation Regiment, V Corps, United States Army Europe and Seventh Army, Germany
Jul 01	Aug 03	Chief, Conventional Arms Control Division, later Assistant Deputy Director for War on Terrorism Directorate, J-5, The Joint Staff, Washington, DC
Aug 03	Jul 04	Chief, Aviation Division, Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff, G-8, Washington, DC
Jul 04	Apr 05	Director of Materiel, Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff, G-8, Washington, DC
Jun 05	Aug 05	Deputy Commanding General (Support), 101st Airborne Division (Air Assault), Fort Campbell, Kentucky
Aug 05	Aug 06	Deputy Commanding General (Support), 101st Airborne Division (Air Assault) OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM, Iraq (FOB Speicher)

### SUMMARY OF JOINT ASSIGNMENTS

	<u>Dates</u>	<u>Rank</u>
Chief, Conventional Arms Control Division, later Assistant Deputy Director for War on Terrorism Directorate, J-5, The Joint Staff, Washington, DC	Jul 01-Aug 03	Colonel

### US DECORATIONS AND BADGES

Defense Superior Service Medal  
Legion of Merit (with Oak Leaf Cluster)  
Bronze Star Medal  
Meritorious Service Medal (with 2 Oak Leaf Clusters)  
Air Medal  
Army Commendation Medal (with 2 Oak Leaf Clusters)  
Army Achievement Medal (with Oak Leaf Cluster)  
Combat Action Badge  
Pathfinder Badge  
Parachutist Badge  
Air Assault Badge  
Master Army Aviator Badge  
Ranger Tab  
Joint Chiefs of Staff Identification Badge  
Army Staff Identification Badge